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Applicant : Riccardo Dalla-Favera
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For : ISOLATION OF FIVE NOVEL GENES CODING FOR
NEW Fc RECEPTORS-TYPE MELANOMA INVOLVED
IN THE PATHOGENESIS OF LYMPHOMA/MYELOMA
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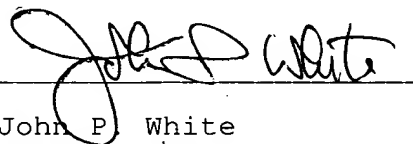
**TRANSMITTAL OF VERIFIED STATEMENT (DECLARATION) CLAIMING
SMALL ENTITY STATUS UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.9(f) AND §1.27(d)**

Applicants attach hereto as **Exhibit A** a Verified Statement (Declaration) Claiming Small Entity Status Under 37 C.F.R. §1.9(f) And §1.27(d) on behalf of The Trustees of Columbia University in the City of New York, the assignee of record of the above-identified application. This Verified Statement is signed by Gonzalo Merino, an authorized official of The Trustees of Columbia University in the City of New York in connection with the above-identified application.

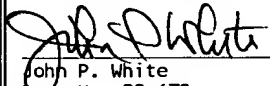
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